

SYMBOLS

Contact
Long-dashed where approximately located.

Fossil localities
Predominantly echinodermal debris is indicated by columnals.

No major faults have been mapped; many small scale NW-SE offsets can be seen in the field.

PLANAR FEATURES

Bedding, strike and dip

Overturned beds

Cleavage, strike and dip
Only dominant cleavage indicated.

LINEAR FEATURES

Minor fold axes, bearing and plunge direction

1971 MAGNETIC
NORTH DECLINATION

GEOLOGIC MAP OF THE FREDERICK VALLEY, MARYLAND

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Scale 1:62500
1 1/2 0 1 2 3 4 Miles
1 1/2 0 1 2 3 4 5 Kilometers
Contour interval 20 feet
Datum is mean sea level

EXPLANATION

SEDIMENTARY ROCKS

| Unit | Thickness in Meters (Feet) | Description |
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| Qal | 1 - 3 m (3 - 12 ft) | Interbedded sand, silt, clay and sparse gravels of the Potomac River floodplain. |
| Qmw | 1 - 10 m (3 - 33 ft) | Poorly sorted, angular sandy, silty and granular colluvium and alluvium(?). |
| Qt | < 5 m (<16.5 ft) | Well rounded, spherical to discoid quartz and quartzite cobbles. |
| Unconformity | | |
| Ti | < 200 m (< 655 ft) | Limestone and quartz pebble conglomerates, red siltstones and mudstones. |
| Unconformity | | |
| Og | 450 m (1475 ft) | Interbedded, cross-bedded peloidal to arenaceous limestones, stromatolitic, fossiliferous limestones and laminated to massive dolomites. |
| Clk | 180 m (590 ft) | Fine grained, thin bedded and laminated limestones and dolomites; highly burrowed, containing abundant fossil debris, stromatolitic at very top. Sparse quartz sand and silt. |
| Cfa | 325 m (1095 ft) | Uniformly fine grained, laminated and thin bedded, dark gray limestones, sparse burrows and fauna. Unit contains several traceable breccia zones. |
| Crss | 300 m (985 ft) | Interbedded light gray peloidal and dark gray thin bedded limestones and dolomites with sparse limestone breccias and locally abundant coarse quartz sand. Very sparse fauna, no burrows. Laminated calcareous shale and dolomite at the base. |
| Ca | > 100 m (> 330 ft) | Tan to buff metasilstone and phyllite, typically highly cleaved and mottled. Top of unit contains echinoderm columnals; <i>Olenellus</i> sp. in lower portion of unit. |

INTRUSIVE ROCKS

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| Rd | 2 - 78 m (6.5 - 255 ft) | Dark green to black, medium to coarse grained augite diabase. |
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CROSS SECTION

No vertical exaggeration

